An Adverse Report on the Bill Probibiting Mailroads from Discriminating Against Shippers who Use the Canals Disagreed To. ALBANY, March 16 .- The Assembly overthrew the Bailroad Committee this morning in the first test battle. The members of this umittee are Cole, Chairman; Bulkley, Stacey, Mable, Hugoloom, Evans, Berry, Smith, Guenther, Longley, and Conovor. Mr. Cole is said to represent the New York Central, Mr. Hogeboom the Dolaware and Hudson Canal Company and Harlem, Mr. Mable the New York and Northorn, and the other members are apportioned, with a low exceptions, among the great corporations of the State. This comit has had scores of bills under consideration.

It has reported favorably the bills to extend the power of railroad companies, their rights, and their franchises. The bills that the railroads do not want have been reported advariety, and after a partisan speech by Mr. Cole, these reports have been agreed to. This became so notorious that Mr. Cole got the common niekname among the members of "Corporation Cole." A great many of the bills that the Railroad Committee killed deserved to be killed. Some of them were good bills, but they were offered

of them were good bills, but they were offered solely to extort money from the companies affected. In suppressing these bills the Railroad Committee did good service. But among these bad bills were quite a number of good ones, and the Railroad Committee has been equally prompt in suppressing them. One of these bills was fathered by Mr. Ainsworth, who bears an unimpeached reputation for honesty. It provided that the railroads should not be allowed to discriminate against shippers who allowed to discriminate against shippers who allowed to disoriminate against shippers who use the causals. One of the causes of the decreasing use of the canals is that the railroads have a special form of contract by which they oblige a shipper not to ship by canal, on penalty of having his rates raised. Robates are also given in favor of shippers who agree not to use the canals. This usage is reducing the usefulness of the canals year by year, and the Railroad Commissioners have favored a law to prohibit it. This bill Mr. Ainsworth introduced, and she Railroad Committee prompty reported it adversely.

Ar. Ainsworth moved to disagree with the report. He said that the railroads were squeezing the life out of the canals. The State was yearly spending hundreds of thousands of dollars on the canals and allowing the railroads to nullify the effect of free navigation. The object of the bill was to provent discrimination in freight rates and in that its object colinided with the linter-state Commerce bill.

Mr. Cole and Mr. McCarthy defended the Railroad Committee. They argued that the corporations of this State were to be considered in legislation, and a bill that hurt them hurt the State.

Mr. Ivos lod the opposition to the committee. He charged that a combination of the Republican members of the committee had been formed to control legislation in the interests of corporations, and especially of the large railroads. He referred to the Speaker and Mr. Erwin as leaders of this combination. He said:

The Republicans have charged many things on the Democrats of this body, but there is one thing they do

mittee will not be endorsed.

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Mr. Cole had the previous question suspended while he defended the committee and the
railroads. He argued that the State should lay
no restrictions on the railroads, but should
leave them free to prosper.

The motion to disagree with the report of the
committee was carried, 59 to 41, many Republleans voting with the Democrats.

Mr. Brennan's drip pan bill, Mr. McKenna's
transfer ticket bill, Mr. Sullivan's guard rail
and footpath bills, and Mr. Kunzenman's side
door bill were also reported adversely by the
Railroad Committee, and the reports were
agreed to. When the bill of Mr. Kunzenman
providing for exit doors in the sides of elevated
cars was being decapitated, Mr. Croeby said he
hoped that the House would stamp out all such
measures. "I am delighted to see," said Mr.
McAdam. "that the gentleman is opposed to
side doors as well as front doors."

The Governor is striking right and left at
aspecial legislation. Two vetoes were received
in the Assembly this morning. Mr. Ives's bill
changing the name of the American Female
Guardian Society and Mr. Kruse's for an additional Justice of the Peace in the town of
Yorkshire,Cattaraugus county, are disapproved
on the ground of special legislation. The Governor says the courts are empowered to change
the names of corporations. Mr. Kruse's
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ating \$63,175.69 for legislative printing for the year 1896.

The Senate Judiciary Committee reported the Tilden Trust bill as it passed the Assembly, Mr. Murphy's New York Tonement House bill and Mr. Daly's Municipal Building bill were passed in the Senate.

The Republicans held two caucuses to-day, and then adjourned subject to the call of the caucus committee, leaving the nomination of ex-Senator James Arkell for Kailroad Commissioner to aucreed John O'Donnell hanging in the air. Few of the Democratic Senators are sorry at the action of the Republicans. The Governor nominated Mr. Arkell to give the Republicans a chance to confirm a respectable man. If they refuse to confirm, it shows the complete control that Mr. Platt has over the Republican Senators. He will not allow them to do saything hurtful to his hold on the Quarantine Board.

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The first caucus was held at 2% and lasted over an hour. The second caucus was held in the evening and lasted an hour and a half. The Arkell men were in the minority, and the caucus agreed to postpone action indefinitely. At the morning caucus there was a vote taken on the motion to postpone the confirmation. The vote stood 9 to 9. In the evening the opinion was racre unfavorable to Mr. Arkell. a majority favoring indefinite postponement. Senator Worth was present. The opinion of several Senators has changed, and if a vote had been taken it would have been against Mr. Arkell. 21 to 7. The Arkell men knew this, and so did not press the question.

Senator Reilly exposed the scheme of a lobbyist to sell his vote. Senator leilly, by request of Dury & Co., offered a bill to give the courts power to appoint grain inspectors and making the inspectors file bonds. The bill is opposed by many members of the Produce Exchange. A lobbyist signing himself John Livingston wrote to Dury & Co., offering to push their bill for \$250. The Produce Exchange also received a letter, which is said to have been signed by the same man, offering to defeat the bill for \$500.

49's Fight with the Montauk Association.

The Montauk Protective Association of Long mand, Enights of Labor, who have waged war against District Assembly 40, Knights of Labor, for more than six months, recently got together their local assemblies and appealed to District Assemblies other than 40 to on and appealed to District. Assemblies other than 40 to endorse their application to the General Executive Board
for a charter for a District Assembly. The leaders of 40,
learning of this movement, have ordered the local assemblies in their jurisdiction in Brooklyn and New Jersey to apply at once for a charter. The Executive Board
will give the charter to 40% locals. Timothy Patnam
Quinu yesterday dended any official knowledge of the exstatemes of the Montauk Association. The Montauk Association will go right ahead just the same with its application to the General Board, but the action of 40 will dedolay things another six months.

Hanlan in Boston.

BOSTON, March 16.—Edward Hanlan, the ersman arrived here from Montreal to-day, and will main until his race with Gaudaur on Nemorial Day. Me will train on the Charles River, and will also practice double scull rowles. He has recently trained down brown les to 180 pounds, and he expects to reduce his rowless to 180 pounds before the race. He has me other race in the 160 pounds before the rowless are the second another with Beach for the world's shannless accept another with Beach for the world's shannless accept another with Beach for the world's

The trustees of Greenwood Cemetery report-ed to the lot owners yesterday that the receipts during the last year were \$111,000.08, and the expenditures \$101.104.11. The burials numbered \$2.200, making a total of 237,557 since the cemetery was opened.

MISDOINGS OF THE FINEST. Policeman Habbard Couldn't be Found whe

Policeman Oscar Hubbard of the Carman ville squad was tried yesterday for falling to discover a burglary while it was in progress in the house of John Dally, lumber desier, at 158th street and Eleventh avenue, early on the morning of Feb. 25. The witnesses against him were Mr. and Mrs. Dally. Mr. Dally testified that about 2½ A. M. Feb. 25 he was awak-ened by his wife and thus made aware that somebody was in the act of going through the pockets of his trousers. Mr. Dally's energetic expostulations caused the thief to run down stairs, and, emboldened by his flight, Mr. Dally gave chase. The pursuit was put an end to by the burglar, on reaching the lower floor, firing at his pursuer, for Mr. Dally, being unarmed, thought discretion the better part of valor. The burglar then skipped for good, while the Dallys went to the window and bawled for

The burglar then skipped for good, while the Dallys went to the window and bawled for help at intervals for the next three hours or more. Finally, about 5% o'clock, Hubbard came along and condoled with them when they explained things to him.

In excuse for not discovering the burglary before, Hubbard said that, although he passed the Dally's house several times within the time named, there was no calling for assistance when he was in the neighborhood, and he accounted for the premises being lighted up on the score that somebody was sick. He argued that he must have passed the place in the intervals between the Dallys' yells. As the Dally's house the human and the side of the intervals between the Dallys' yells. As the Dallys had testified that the night was stormy and rainy Hubbard's explanation was not received with entire credence by Commissioner French.

Policeman James Doorley of the Forty-seventh street squad was accused by Mrs. Jane Randolph of 270 West Thirty-eighth street of causing her to lose a valuable diamond earring by striking her without cause on the morning of Feb. 24. Her collision with Dooriey, Mrs. Bandolph said, took place through her going to a ball in Wendel's Assembly Rooms in West Forty-fourth street with her sister, Ida Mitchell, and a gentleman with whom she lives, but who is not her husband. The trio wont outside for supper, and on their return David Hemmer, a special officer stationed at the door, would not let them in, and when they tried to pass him threatened to club her. Policeman Doorley appeared at this juncture and knocked her into her sister's arms. Her earring was lost in the scume, Miss Mitchell corroborated her sister's testimony of Hemmer that Mrs. Randolph's escort was not in fancy dress, and therefore ought to have been excluded, asit was a masked ball.

Detective Relly swore in Doorley's behalf that he had arrested Mrs. Randolph and her sister for street walking, and that Mrs. Randolph and her sister for street walking, and that Mrs. Randolph and particular and mysteri

sharply: If you have anything to say, Mr. Wendel, go around and be sworn."

The ex-Alderman did not avail himself of this permission.

Decision reserved in both cases.

MORRIS AND ESSEX SURRENDERS.

Taxes for 1885 and 1886 to be Paid-Other Matters to be Arbitrated. TRENTON, March 16.—The Morris and Essex coon has come down, and the Legislature may put up its charter repeal gun. Gov. Green sent in a communication to-day submitting a proposition made by the railroad company for the settlement of its difficulty with the State. render its alleged rights to exemption from taxation and pay at once a tax for the years 1885 and 1886 upon its property, in accordance with the general law of 1884. The questions as to the alleged fraudulent reports of the committed to the decision of two arbitrators, one chosen by the Governor and one by the company. The Attorney-General has approved of this plan, and Gov. Green recommended its

pany. The Attorney-General has approved of this plan, and Gov. Green recommended its adoption. A bill in accordance with this recommendation was passed by the Assembly today, and will undoubtedly pass the Senate. This will take the place of the bill repealing the charter of the company, which passed the Assembly last week.

The Senate tackled Gov. Green's griet of appointments to-day. That of Judge John W. Westcott, for Law Judge of Camden county, was rejected. The rejection of this nomination is the result of a Republican caucus, and is based nominally upon remonstrances made by a large part of the Camden bar against the appointment, but really upon the fact that Judge Westcott is too active a Democratic worker to suit the Republican idea of dignity for the judicial ermine. He was the Democratic andidate for Congress in the First district last fall, and made a heated canvas without resigning his place on the bench. The same caucus decided to reject the nomination of ex-Senator John Carpenter, Jr., for Riparian Commissioner. This is following the example of the last Senate, which would none of Carpenter when Gov. Abbett appointed him. The real reason of the rejection is alleged to be a partisan one, although the reason given is the fact that many years ago Carpenter was expelled from the clerkship of a Democratic Assembly after an investigation on a charge of having made a corrupt bargain to secure the place. He has since then served a term as Senator from Huntordon county without doing himself any discredit.

The following nominations were confirmed: Lay Judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals—Jonathans, Whittaker.

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Ocean. William A. Low. Gloucester, Edmund Jones;

Bergen, Glarret G. Ackerson; Essex, Michael J. Ledwith.

Frosecutor of the Pleas of Ocean county—Thomas W.

Middleton.

The Governor gave his mill wheel a little turn to-day, but the renomination of Elias Doughty for Lay Judge of Cumberland county was the onlyfresult. The nominations for Chancellor. Chief Justice, and Secretary of State are still uncertainties.

AMUSEMENTS.

Emil Thomas at the Thalia.

Emil Thomas, the German comedian, appeared at the Thalia Theatre last evening in two plays. The house was crowded in every part. The first play was "Der Vater der Debutantin" (the Débutante's Father) Debutantin" (the Débutante's Father) in which Mr. Thomas successfully engineered a scheme to place his daughter on the stage through a theatrical manager and a journalist. The second was the play in one act. "1,733. Thaler 22% Silber Groschen." Herr Thomas relies much more on fidality to nature in his comedy than those German comedians who resort to the grotesque, which will always produce a laugh from a German audience, and Herr Thomas's art rises above and surpasses the grotesque.

Like a Scene from Grennda.

A bright little spot, studded with the gorgeous gems of the days when the Saraceans had about all there was worth having in Andalusia, tapestries worth \$50,000, rich silver Moorish lamps, mosale tilings, and the ministure stuccoed domes suggestive of Grenada in all its glory, was opened in the Broadway side of the Casino on Tuesday night. The light made warm and southing by the colored glass, line qualist niches with bits of Moorish statuary, and the high-back embroidered satin chairs, reminders of the great historic dream of the conjust of Grenada, were all there, together with the lawyers, doctors, theatrical managers, and club men who dropped in during the evening. The solid maliogany wainscotting that lined what were spiken of as the Gold Rount, the India Boom, and the Moorish Tower looked well with the rich satin and velver furniture, and, taken altogether, the spot will be considered one of the most interecting sights in town. gems of the days when the Saracens had about all there

Death of a Famous Stallion LEXINGTON, Ky., March 16.—Major B. G. Thomas's famous imported stallion King Ban died to-day of spinal meningitis. He was fooled in 1875, and purchased for Major Thomas in 1878. He was size of Functor, Ban Fox. King Fox. dold Han, Highlight, Banburg, and other horses. He was valued at \$25,000.

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BUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.—Nos. 36, 78, 79, 86, 82, 100, 107, 114, 121, 147, 77, 222, 277, 241, 242, 262, 267, 266, 269, 269, 266, 286, 296, 270, 286, 287, 290, 207, 286, 287, 286, 296, 270, 286, 287, 280, 207, 286, 391, GERREAL TERM.—Nos. 60, 84, 114, 118, 120, 121, 122, 123, 391, 381, 133, 133, 133, 133, 133, 48, 78, 86, 107, 138, 898, 122, 114, 106, 728, 724, 110, 1021, 1221, 1203, 1214, 1222, 1804, 645, 1247, 114, 1224, 1804, 645, 1247, 114, 1224, 1804, 645, 1247, 114, 1224, 1804, 645, 1247, 1248, 271, 2862, 2864, 2864, 2864, 1855, 768, 277, 2862, 2864, 2864, 2864, 1855, 768, 277, 2862, 2864, 2864, 2864, 2864, 1855, 768, 277, 2862, 2864 of 237.557 since the cometery was opened.

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CAUSE OF THE DISASTER CIVIL ENGINEERS EXAMINE THE BIG

WRECK NEAR BOSTON. The Bridge Sadly Designed and Poorly Built of Inferior Metal-Many Thousands of Lives Imperilled Within Eleven Years. The Engineering News, having thoroughly investigated the cause of the Forest Hills disaster, on the Boston and Providence Railroad,

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will say:

We are now able to shed far more light on what the
precise cause was than has berestore appeared. We
have in our office what will probably be the most important bit of evidence in the investigation, namely, the two
original parts which in all human probability were the
first to break. These parts are in the possession of Nr.
Henry S. Fritchard, C. E., a practical bridge sugineer of
Philadelphia, who undertook to critically examine the
structure on behalf of this journal. In connection with
further information gathered for us within an hour or
two after the accident occurred by Mr. Frederick Brocka,
O. E., of Boston, these fragments may be said to be absolutely conclusive as to the real difficulty, since it is impossible that there should have been more defective
parts in the bridge if it was to stand up at all.

The parts which first broke were the two hangers
which carried the last or most casterly pair of foor
beams of the northerty or last built truss, which carried
all the load. So far as can be judged from cutside appearances they are made of far from good iron to begin
with, but in addition to that, they are of very bad design
and most imperfectly welded. In addition to that again,
they are both of them very badly fawed by old and
despit rusted breaks at the most strained section, there
being two distinct breaks of this kind to each specimen.

The first hanger has both breaks across the weld, the
first break being complete, and the second break, an
inch and an eighth above it, all but complete, the metal
merely hanging together by the outside skin. This
hanger can never have done any work since its original
and now ancient fracture, or it would have broken apart
long acc.

The account hanger was checked across half of its inside face (covered by the supposed weld) for about half
its depth of effective section, and the second break in
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ABOUT BALL PLAYERS.

Spring Meeting of the International League

ROCHESTER, March 16 .- At a meeting of the International League yesterday a schodule was adopted and umires appointed. The umpires are John Con-nelly, T. J. Cummings, Dick Pierce, and Hoover of Philadelphia. Following is the schedule:

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Jersey City at home with Toronto May 7, 9, July 6, 7, Aug. 16, 18; with Hamilton May 5, 6, July 8, 8, Aug. 10, 20; with Buffalo May 3, 4, June 24, 25, Aug. 16, 15; with Rochester April 30, May 2, June 22, 23, Aug. 16, 11; with Syracuse May 14, 16, June 20, 21, Sept. 7, 6; with Dawczo May 18, 20, June 20, 31, Sept. 7, 6; with Bunghauton May 22, 23, June 28, July 44, M.), Aug. 24, 25; with Utica May 17, 18, June 16, 18, Sept. 5, 6; with Bunghauton May 22, 23, June 28, July 44, M.), Aug. 24, 25; with Newark at home with Toronto May 5, 40, July 4, 8, Aug. 18, 20; with Hamilton May 7, 9, July 67, Aug. 10, 11; with Buffalo April 30, May 2, June 22, 23, Aug. 10, 11; with Buffalo April 30, May 2, June 22, 23, Aug. 10, 11; Kyracuse May 17, 18, June 30, 21, Bept. 7, 8; with Binghanton May 18, 18, June 20, 21, Bept. 7, 8; with Binghanton May 18, 20, June 20, Aug. 23, 27, July 4 (F. M.); with Jersey City May 10, 30 (F. M.), June 30, July 11, Aug. 4, Oct. 6.

BASE BALL NOTES. McGuire of the Philadelphia Club says that he will not play with that club his season. Casey of the same club has refused to sign a contract. The Netropolitan players will begin practice at Wood's gymnasium b-day. The managers of the club have arranged for two different uniforms for their men. One will be white, with blue stockings, the same as less year, and the other will be of a brownish color, with stockings and the other will be of a brownish color, with stockings

Cuicaso. March id.—"Bobby" Carruthers, the well-known pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, has received a notice from Chris Von der Ale, the President of that organization, that if he did not report for duty by March 21 he would be blacklisted. Carruthers took the notice to a lawyer and explained that he had not signed a contract with von der Ahe, and the latter's only claim for this services was that he had been reserved under the national agreement established by the League and American Association. The lawyer advised Carruthers to pay no attention to the notice and see what Von der Ahe would do, and if he carried out his threat to begin an action sgainst him in the United States District Court.

The first race at Guttenberg yesterday, half a mile, was won by Goblin by three lengths in 54 seconds, Dick Watts second. Certificates paid \$4.30; place, \$3.40. Dick Watts paid \$3.65.
Second race, five furlongs. Poet won by two lengths in 1:05. Molle Thomas second. Certificates paid \$0.70; place, \$3.09. Molle Thomas paid \$4.
Third race, three-quarters of a mile. May W. won by half a length in 1:21%, Revelry second. Certificate awards paid \$16.05; place, \$5.05. Revelry paid \$4.25.
The racing will be continued on Friday.

Ice Yacht Races at Poughkeepsle.

POUGHEREPSIE, March 16 .- All the ice yachts softened, and the race for the third-class boats was softened, and the race for the intra-class loats was postponed until 5 P. M. The Arrow, owned by Mr. Edwards and salied by Dr. Barrou, and the knowfake, owned and salied by B. P. Rogers, came to the line. The course was twelve inlies and the race was won by the Arrow in 37:39. The prize was a large silver lamp, presented by Judge Gildersiceve.

Sporting Notes.

A match has been made in Melbourne, Australia, be-tween L. E. Myers and T. M. Malone to run 440 yards for £250 a side. Francisco.

The middle weights Dick Collier of England and Reddy Inlighter are to hox at Cleveland eight rounds for a purse of 800 and the gate receipts to-morrow night. The club medal and first prize in the Coney Island Rod and Gun Club were won by J. H. Edwards yesterday at shuits's Parkville Larm with a score of 8 out of 7 birds shot at.

The pigeon shoot for \$200, between W. Graham, England's champion wing shot, and J. Brewer of Philadelphia, will not take piace on the Jersey City Heights Club ground to-day. Brewer is sick. DOWN-TOWN GOSSIP.

Mr. Edward Brandon of the Stock Exchange, in speaking yesterday of the stock market, said that he believed that higher prices were insulinent. "Europe has bought stocks in the last three days." Mr. Brandon continued, "and while London soid some of them this afternoon there is still an evident disposition to buy back some of the stocks sold by the foreigners in December. They have good encouragement for their course in the improved railroad earnings. I have no fear of tight money, at leas not until next fall, when perhaps the Government's course in tooking up funds may cause distress. The banks have held and do hold about sixty per cent. of the Government bonds, and of course that amount of money is practically locked up at every 'call' made by the Government for bonds. But I believe that the liberal distribution of silver certificates will inflate values, including those in Wall street. We can only be seriously hurt by the balance of trade turning against un." Other authorities said that Mr. Addison Cammank covered a part if not all of his "short" lines yesterday, and sous thought that the next move would be a slight reaction downward from the day's improvement.

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downward from the day's improvement.

Mr. Hobert Cunningham is a scalous collector of news in Wall street, and his builetins are always interesting, if not exactly correct. This was shown at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the kids who distribute his filmsy dropped a builetin in all the offices stating that "Mr. Alfred Suily is now in consultation with Mr. Gould and Uncle Ressell Bage in the Western Union building." At that time a Row reporter met Mr. Suily trotting into the Mills building, and later Mr. George J. Gould said that no consultation had taken place between the three men at any time during the day. The incident was considered by the brokers as in no way redecting on Mr. Cunningham's news, but as indicative of his propensity to seize anything that will interest the street.

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It may not have been pleasant, but it has certainly in-terested Mr. Henry Clews and Mr. Gegrge J. Gould to know that their names and faces are being used by manufacturers to advertise their goods. Young Mr. Gould can now stroll into some of the up-town hotels and see his picture on a champagne bottle labelled "the George J. Gould champagne," and the face and name of Mr. Clews now adorn eyes boxes, labelled "the Henry Clews flor fina." Mr. Clews doesn't smoke.

The clerks in the Sub-Treasury now have no difficulty in earning their salaries. Between the redemption of trade dollars and paying the quarterly pensions they have a busy time. In the last two days 35,000 checks have been made out, 30,000 of them being for pensions. dollars for redemption.

Pools and combinations and syndicates a

Pools and combinations and syndicates now being fashionable in financial and speculative circles. Mr. C. R. Hickox of the Froduce Exchange, so it was said yesterday, tried his hand in forming a bull pool in wheat at the Union League Club on Tuesday night. The names of the men interested in the alleged pool were not given, but it was said around the wheat pit that Mesars. T. B. Carruthers, Dan Dixon, and J. Leiand Hoppock were doing their prettiest to carry out the instructions of the pool members. They were quite successful during the greater part of the day.

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"All the brokers in the mining corner on the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange are complaining of dull times," an authority in mining shares said yesterday. "They shouldn't growl because the dear public refuses to become interested in mining companies capitalized for \$1,000,000 and up to \$8,000,000 when the properties owned by these companies are worth only from \$25,000 to \$100,000. There are several such in-stances on the Exchange, and either the gambling of the brokers or the inflation practice should be stopped."

Capt. William V. King of the Cotton Exchange, and Mr. Robert C. Quackenbush, Mr. Edward Gribben, and Mr. Robert C. Quackenbush, Mr. Edward Gribben, and Mr. Florian Hendricks of Wall street, with Mr. William N. Bavier and Mr. Harry Tredwell have started out to make the spring games of Company B, Twenty-second Regiment, and the athletes of Columbia College the most interesting contests of the year. They will be held in the Twenty-second's armory on April 10, and will consist of almost every kind of sport.

The wheat market on the Produce Exchange, influenced by buying for the alleged pool spoken of above.

The wheat market on the Produce Extended, in-fluenced by buying for the alleged pool spoken of above, good buying in Chicago and the covering of cautious "alorts," advanced, May running up to 81% cents. There was some reaction downward by the time that young man who thumps the Chinese gong, until folks with nerves want to climb out the windows, had got around for the last time. for the last time. Affairs on the Cotton Exchange brightened up, and the

Affairs on the Cotton Exchange brightened up, and the ring during the day had quite a smart and businesslike appearance. Prices were run up, the "shorta" covered, and exporters were quite generous in their demands. The big bulls in the staple are Imman, Swar & Co., Lehman Brothers, V. & A. Meyer & Co., Williams, Black & Co., and ex-President Gruner. The bear element is represented by Mohr, Hannemann & Co., C. L. Greene & Co., and J. H. Parker. It was said that the stock in the country at the moment is 450,000 bales smaller than at this time last year. Petroleum certificates also climbed a bit, and the

prokers seemed happier.

THE WIDENING OF ELM STREET

Pop Whittaker's Will to be Contested.

Lewis B. Whittaker, the son of the veteran howman, Pop Whittaker, by the latter's first wife, has lottified Surrogate Rollins of his intention to begin a contest of the will filed recently by Margaret Whittaker, the executed at Erie, Pa., and made the widow the sole legates and executrix. The contestant asserts that the will was secured by undus influence while the testator was moutaily incapacitated. The property consists observed in the remnant of the \$4.000 that he secured by compromising a claim of \$10,000 against the Harlem and company for the loss of an arm cut off by a freight of the property of the appointment of a commission to secure evidence in Erie, Pa. to prove the senuincies and legality of the contested will. The showman fairs and estime, spent a good deal of the \$4.000 in settling the fertime, spent and that there isn't much left to contest action. The widow claims that she nursed the showman fairhfully during his last sickness, but that she made in effort to secure any will in favor of herself. Young Whittaker lives in this city.

Young Forepaugh to Have a New York

John A. Forepaugh, son of Adam Forepaugh, and Frank G. Conselly, a Fulladelphia manager, have secured a New York theatre, which they propose to run at popular prices. Mr. Forepaugh declines to say just where the house is. He and Mr. Connelly already manage two theatres in Philadelphia—one a museum—and one in Ballimors. Adam Forepaugh is presumably interested, but he docan't say much about it. The new place will be opened next season, as now proposed, and will be put on the circuit with the Haltimore and Philadelphia bouses of Forepaugh and Connelly. The increase of popular price theatres in New York is creating gossip among the managers. The actors on the Rialto say the end is not yet.

BROOKLYN.

This spring \$5,000 is to be spent in improving the streets in the Twenty-sixth ward. F Work has been resumed on the new cruisers, the Chicago, Boston, and Atlanta, at the navy yard. The Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs of the Church of the Pilgrims has gone south for the benefit of his health. He will be absent several weeks. absent several weeks.

Redfield Chandier, the son of Admiral Chandier, is again missing from his post as index clerk in the navy yard. Mr. Chandier has disappeared more than once before, but he has slways turned up all right.

A new Catholic church, to be known as the Church of the Fresentation of the Blessed Virgin, is to be built in Rockaway avenue and Rt. Mark's avenue. Bishop Loughlin has appointed the Rev. l'ather Hand, formerly of the Church of the Visitation, pastor.

The Low German, Polic, Vastical Assertions

Unuren of the Visitation, pastor.

The Low German Folks' Festival Association and Hospital Society of Brooklyn and vicinity has been incorporated. The society was organized ten years ago for benevolent work. An old lady has promised to give 1554(88), A new hospital is to be created in Bedford avenue.

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The Executive Committee of the American Parochial Mission Society has elected the Rev. Br. George R. Van De Water, rector of St. Luke's P. E. Church, general missioner at a salary of \$4.000 year. Dr. Van De Water will not resign his rectorship, but may sak for a year's vacation in which to do mission work.

Superintendent Guilfoyle of the new Federal building has returned from Washington. He says the work on the building will be pushed forward rapidly, and that the foundation for the Adams street wing will be ind by May 1. It will be six stories in height, and will correspond in outlines with the Washington street wing. George Zippp, the proprietor of the Casino in Elm place, has applied for an injunction restraining Police Commissioner Carroll from interfering with his business. He says policemen have been unlawfully sent there to prevent the sale of liquor, while the law does not forbid the sale of liquor at places of anusement in Brooklyn.

William B. Wadeworth, the House fraud whe swindled

Brookiya. William B. Wadsworth, the pious frand who awindled a score or more of conditing friends out of \$55,000 and pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery, has been sentenced to five years imprisonment to Sing Sing by Judge Moore. He was of very economical habits, and no one can tell what he did with the big oile of money he acquired. It is believed he line it somewhere in safe keeping. keeping.

Francis Joseph Johnson, the negro servant, who in a fit of sudden race on Tuasday, committed such havee on the furniture, creaker, and lassware in the Remen the furniture, creaker, and lassware in the Remen kent by the Misses Gloucester, has been held for the Grand Jury by Justice Waish. He said: "You see, massa, I did this breaking business because Mrs. dioucester would not allow me to spit in the coal scuttle."

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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WEDNESDAY, March 16. The stock market relapsed into a condition of tedious dulness after the first hour to-day. The early animation, what there was of it. was caused partly by the execution of buying orders for foreign account and of covering for the account, it is claimed, of the principal bear trader. The opening was strong, in response London, and the operations referred to re-sulted in further improvement in prices. But with the cessation of the demand for stocks from the two quarters mentioned the market fell into the hands of the trading element, hich, apparently, regard ference or caution. The rest of the day the market was firm until shortly before the clo when an advance in Louisville and Nashville upon foreign orders helped prices generally,

Central by traders also contributed to the same

result. The foreign buying is now attracting general attention and is believed to be genuine, as all of the European markets show an improved and more confident tone. Should it continue, the fears of a stringent money market that have of late distressed the street will soon be widely dispelled. The stocks in which foreign widely dispelled. The stocks in which foreign buying orders were noticeable to-day were St. Paul and Louisville and Nashville. Yesterday the favorites were Lake Shore and Reading. There was very little in the way of news to influence the narrow specufact to keen the Baltimore and Ohio matter before the public. Waltimore and Ohio matter before the public, will street's interest in it is fast dying out. The market, especially to-day's market, tells more conclusively than any amount of conjecture, theorizing, or fabrication that the attempt to make a doal has falled. The failure really occurred last, week; in fact, the premature an another than the statempt of the market, see the property of the discover this fact.

In the Unisted Department the speculation was also moderate. The presence in town of some of the projectors of the alleged opposition to the American Cotton Seed Oil Trust was ecompanied by attacks upon the curlificates of the concern, both in fall offer of the market, especially to the concern, both in fall offer of the market, see which it is a seen of the concern, both in fall offer of the market, especially invited to attend the fall offer of the concern, both in pastern of the market, especially invited to attend the fall offer of the series of the brides are respectfully invited to attend the last level, the July of the series of the ser buying orders were noticeable to-day were St. Paul and Louisville and Nashville. Yesterday

Money on call easier at 4#5% P cent. Sterling exchange very heavy, owing to absence of inquiry and sales of security bills. The nominal asking rates were made generally uniform to-day at \$4.84% for long bills and \$4.87 for demand. The balances in the Treasury are but slightly

Silver balance, \$70.753,774 against \$70.004,752 yesterday.

The amount of buillion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day is £36.000. Paris advices quote \$\$\foatsymbol{8}\$ vents at \$1.15.

The plan for the reorganization of the Chicago and Atlantic Railway Company, which has been proposed by Messrs. Drexel, Morgan & Co, and the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company contemplates a foreclosure of the present first mortgage and the organization of a new company with a capital of \$100.000 issued to the Erie Company in part consideration of its guarantee of the interest upon the \$12.000.000 first mortgage bonds of the new company. These bonds are to run ninety-five years, and bear interest at the rate of \$\$\foat\$ cent, the first five years and 5\$\$\foat\$ cent, thereafter. Of these bonds \$6.825,000 will be issued to the holders of the present first mort-

gage bonds on the basis of \$1,050 for each \$1,000. Each bond will also receive \$150 of an income bond ranking next to the firsts and 2 F cent. In cash. The claims of the Etis. and of the New York, Pennsylvanis and Ohio against the Chicago and Atlantic, are to be settled by issuing to them \$2,000,000 of the first mortgage bonds of the new company. The second mortgage bonds of the present company will be taken up on the basis of \$400 in new lasts for \$1,000 in old seconds. All the disbursements incidental to the reorganization are to be paid out of the new latts. except that the issue for all of the purposes already described shall not exceed \$10,000,000. The proceeds of the remaining \$2,000,000. The proceeds of the remaining \$2,000,000 are to be used to put the property in shape and provide equipment. The stock of the present company is exchangeable for income bonds on the basis of \$40 in income bonds for each share of stock. The issue of incomes is to be \$10,000,000, of which one-half is to be given to the Erie for its guarantees. They bear 5 F cent. interest and are non-cumulative. The rest of the issue takes up the stocks and the coupons on the firsts, as already noted. Already the holders of \$5,500,000, or all but about \$1,500,000,000 of the first mortgage bonds, and of a large amount of the stock have agreed to this plan.

The several interests in Richmond and Alleghany first mortgage bonds have settled their differences, and made some unimportant changes in the plan of reorganization. In consequence the speedy reorganization of the company is probable.

The production of anthracits coal for the week ending March 12 was 623,928 tons, as against 633,684 tons last year; and for the year to date 6,117,068 tons, as against 6,045,507 the corresponding period of last year. It is understood that the anthracite companies expect, to produce about 34,000,000 tons this year. The regist agents of the railroads engaged in the anthracite carrying trade met in this city today to revise rates and other details of the traff

traffic, so as to conform to the inter-State Commerce law.

The committee on the reorganization of the Pittsburgh and Western Hallroad announce that they have prepared s plan copies of which can be obtained of Messrs. Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia and Messrs. Drexel & Co. of this city. These firms will also receive the securities of the company in accordance with the terms of the plan.

Messrs. Henry Clews & Co. make an announcement relative to their business, and their extensive facilities for transacting ft, in this issue of The Sun.

New York Markets.

Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, Wednesday March 16.—Receipts of beeves 54 car loads or two head all to be soid except three car loads that were consigned direct to a city slaughtere. Frice were easily advanced 100315 cents 21.0 Bs. on all desirable grades, and the market closed firm at the advance. Common to strictly prims steers sold at \$4.7568.5.70 \$100 Bs.; a car load of extra do. at \$5.05, and common to choice buils at \$3.25684.25. Exports, 73.1 quarters of beef; also 100 carcasses of mutton. Receipts of calves, \$23 head. Reported firm for veals at 5685. pt B.

Receipts of sheep and lambs, 30% car loads, or 5.972 head. Rathe. Brimer, and a small fraction higher, but not satisfactory. Ordinary to perime lambs at \$4.5568. Style in 10 Bs.; ordinary to prime lambs at \$4.5568. Style in 10 Bs.; ordinary to prime lambs at \$4.5568. Receipts of hoge, \$7 car loads, or 7.300 head. No trading in live hogs to note. Firmer tone, and nominally higher at \$4.658.50 \$2.00 \$100 Bs.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE MINIATURE ALMANAO-THIS DAY. Sun rises..... 6 (6) Sun sets..... 6 (6) Moon rises. 1 56 RIGH WATER—TRIS DAY. Sandy Hook. 1 42 | Gov. Island... 2 08 | Hell Gate... 3 57

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CARSON.—At his late residence, 1,007 Herkimer at Brooklyn, on Tuesday, March 16. Robert Carson, beloved husband of Eliza Carson, aged 50 years.

CHAPMAN.—In Westville, Conn., March 14, Miss Irene Chapman, aged 52 years.

BORAN.—Of paralysis, on Tuesday, March 15, at his late residence, 650 0th av., Thomas F. Doran, Sr., in the late residence, 355 0th av., Thomas F. Doran, Sr., in the Tild year of his szc. DOAK.—in Nameck, Mass., March 15, John A. Doak,

The very of his size. Mass., March 15, John A. Doak, and the presidence of his son-in-hw. 39 East 64th 21. Elitids—Joseph D. Kills, formerly of Philadelphia, at the residence of his son-in-hw. 39 East 64th 21. FinCil.—At Feskkill. N. Y. on Monday, March 14, Jane P., wife Reuben R. Pinch.

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Funeral services at her late residence, on Smith 81., today at 20 clock P. M.

FishER.—At White Plains, N. Y., on Tuesday, March 15, Rebecca Jane, relict of A. D. Fisher, in the 82d year of her age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, on Friday, March 18, at 20 clock P. M.

FIEET.—On Tuesday, March 15, Jonathan Gardiner Pleet, in the 83th year of his age.

Funeral services to day at 11 o'clock, from his late residence, 157 East 30th st. Interment in Greenwood.

Gano, In his one 18th heart at Derver, Col., John M. Gano, In his one 18th has, at Derver, Col., John M. Gano, In his one 18th heart at the residence of her son, John J. Gorman, 135 Hamilton av. Brooklyn, Mrs. Bridged Gorman, in the 74th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day at 9:30 o'clock A. M.: thence, to 8t. Stephen's Church, where a solemn high mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Interment at Plattush Cemetery.

HICKS.—At San Francisco, Cal., on the 12th inst, Victor Lucas, in his 28th year, son of the late Blas Hicks, formerly of this city.

east of Radion No. 10-toy and the Common of ROUGH.—On Tuesday, Maron to, easier Farer.

Function from the residence of his brother, Henry E. Rough, 185 8th av., to-day at 1 o'clock. Friends are Brited.

RYAN.—On March 15, at her late residence 444 West 20th st., Suele V. Ryan, the beloved daughter of Thomas and Rose Ryan, in the 18th year of her age.

TATION.—In New Oriesna, La., on the 16th inst., Julia Taylor Chaffer, daughter of the late Balmon Taylor of

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Taylor Chafer, daughter of the late Salmon Taylor of Brooklyn. L. I.
TOLLES.—In New Britain, Conn., March 15, Nathan Tolla Agred 51 years.
WHITE.—In Claremont, Cal., March 7, Michael White, Sr., agred 88 years.
WARD.—In Fluidediphia, March 14, Mrs. Hiles Ward, agred 57 years.
WOODRUFF.—In West Haven, Conn., March 14, Mrs. Emily Woodruff, agred 85 years. ONLY SIX DAYS MORE TO SEE THIS GREAT COLLECTION IN ITS ENTIRETS,

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Having undertaken, at the request of the holders of a large amount of the securities of the Chicago and Atlantic Railway Company, to bring about the reorganization of that company and to adjust the differences between it and the New York, Lake Eric and Western Rallroad Company, with the understanding that the railroad of the reorganised company shall be transferred to and operated by the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, we have made a contract with the New York, Lake Eric and Western Railroad Company, with a view to such reorganization and adjustment.

COPIES OF A CIRCULAR SETTING FORTH THE PLAN OF REORGANIZATION MAY BE OBTAINED ON APPLICATION AT OUR OFFICE.

HOLDERS OF THE SECURITIES OF THE CHICAGO AND ATLANTIC BAILWAY COMPANY ARE RE-QUESTED TO DEPOSIT THE SAME WITH US IN AU-CORDANCE WITH SAID CIRCULAR.

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The Purchasing Committee, under agreement of Feb. 4, 1887, for the reorganization of the New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that security holders (who have not aircady assented), to avail themselves of any benefits under said agreement, must present their bond certificates at the Central Trust Company of New York for stamping, deposit their bonds with said trust company, and pay the stock assessments and have the stock certificates prop-erly stamped by said trust company ON OR BEFORE MARCH 10, 1887.

After the 19th inst. bond certificates, bond and stock. will only be stamped and received under the agreement upon payment of \$11 per share on stock and 1 per cent. P. P. OLCOTT, Chairman.

REORGANIZATION OF THE PITTSBURGH AND WESTERN RAILBOAD CO.

The undersigned, a committee of the boudholders and that copies of a plan and agreement of reorganization may be procured for them on application, or from Mesers, DREXEL & CO., Philadelphia, and Mesers. DREXEL, MORGAN & CO., New York, with which firms the existing securities of the company are to be deposited in accordance with said agreement and plan. Bondholders and stockholders are requested to deposit

J. LOWBER WELSH, JOHN T. TERRY, C. H. COSTER, ANTHONY J. THOMAS, NEW YORK, March 15, 1887.

NOTICE.—The engraved certificates for the pre-LAKE ERIE AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY. heretofore prepared, by inadvertence not conforming to the resolutions of the stockholders and Board of Directors authorizing the facus of the same, such tesus has been suspended until the correction of the plate is

made.

The corrected certificate, which alone will be a de-livery on the Stock Exchange, will be ready for issue on and after Monday, March 28, 1897, when the certificates peretofore delivered can be exchanged.

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